

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

In re Patent Application of

Atty Dkt. BHD-4662-302

DE KROON ET AL

Serial No. 10/520,704

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Title: PROCESS FOR APPLYING A LAYER OF BRANCHED POLYAMIDE TO A  
SUBSTRATE

Commissioner for Patents  
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Confirmation No. 2461  
TC/A.U.: 1794

Examiner: Freeman

Date: December 22, 2008

Sir:

**Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.**

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences  
from the last decision of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting      \$540.00 (1401)/\$270.00 (2401)    \$    540.00  
applicant's claim(s).

An appeal **BRIEF** is attached in the pending appeal of the  
above-identified application      \$540.00 (1402)/\$270.00 (2402)    \$  
 Credit for fees paid in prior appeal without decision on merits      -\$ (        )  
 A reply brief is attached.      (no fee)  
 Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review form attached.

Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this  
paper and attachment(s)      One Month Extension \$130.00 (1251)/\$65.00 (2251)  
Two Month Extensions \$490.00 (1252)/\$245.00 (2252)  
Three Month Extensions \$1110.00 (1253)/\$555.00 (2253)  
Four Month Extensions \$1730.00 (1254)/\$865.00 (2254)    \$    490.00  
 "Small entity" statement attached.

Less 2 month extension paid on 12/22/08 with concurrently filed Amendment After Final Rejection    -\$ (    490.00)

**TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED**    \$    540.00

**CREDIT CARD PAYMENT VIA EFS PAYMENT SCREEN.**

Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension.  
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or  
asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this  
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